

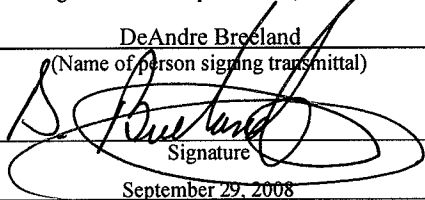
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For : IMAGE PHOTOGRAPHING APPARATUS AND METHOD  
RELATING TO A PLURALITY OF SCAN SPEEDS  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 17, 2008, having a three-month  
statutory period for reply set to expire on October 17, 2008, please amend the above-captioned  
application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of claims which begins  
on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.